

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Roger DENIS Group Art Unit: 3763

Application No.: 09/857,144 Examiner: L. H. Thanh

Filed: February 8, 2002 Docket No.: 109684

For: A SAFETY ASSEMBLY FOR A PREFILLED SYRINGE FOR INJECTING LIQUID,

IN PARTICULAR A MEDICINE

SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT FILED WITH RCE

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the November 6, 2003 final Office Action and the March 16, 2004

Advisory Action, the shortened statutory period for reply being extended by the attached

Petition for Extension of Time, upon entry of the Amendment After Final Rejection filed on

March 5, 2004, in connection with the Request for Continued Examination filed herewith,

please consider the following:

Amendments to the Claims as reflected in the listing of claims; and Remarks.

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